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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: DeAngelis et al.  
Serial Number: 09/697,858  
Filed: October 27, 2000  
For: THERMAL TEXTILE  
Group Art Unit: 1771  
Examiner: Befumo, Jenna Leigh

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action dated July 17, 2006, Applicant submits the attached Remarks and Terminal Disclaimers.

**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.6(d)**

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